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(c) the grant-in-aid given to such institutions by the State; and

(d) whether the educational concessions granted to Non-Gazetted Officers, teachers and others are extended to the children reading in such institutions?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : (a) & (b) A statement[a] is laid on the table of the House. In recent years permission to open such schools is being refused as there is no provision in the Second Five-Year Plan for the opening of these schools.

SRI T. PURUSHOTHAM : Will the Government consider the desirability of inclusion of necessary provision for such schools at least in the Third Five-Year Plan, as the Hon. Minister just now said that permission had been refused for want of provision in the Second Plan?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : We can take that into account and decide with reference to the resources available.

SRI V. V. RAMASWAMI : அனாதைப் பிள்ளைகளையும் ஆதரவற்ற பிள்ளைகளையும் பராமரிப்பதற்கு தனிப்பட்ட அற நிலையம் வைத்திருப்பவர்கள் (trust) ஒரு புதிய பள்ளியைத் துவக்குவதற்கு முன்வந்தால், அதற்கு அரசாங்கம் அனுமதி கொடுக்குமா ?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : இந்தக் கேள்வி நர்ஸரி ஸ்கூல்களைப் பற்றியது.

SRI T. P. SRINIVASAVARADAN : Are there any Nursery Schools run by the Government themselves?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : No. I do not think there is any.

MR. CHAIRMAN : The hon. Member Vidwan T. Muthukannappan is not in the House.

SRI V. V. RAMASWAMI : I put the question, Sir.

Seed farms

* 18 Q.—SRI V. V. RAMASWAMI (on behalf of Vidwan T. Muthukannappan) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Home be pleased to state—

(a) the places at which seed farms have been started in the Chingleput district;

(b) the capital expenditure incurred for each farm and the average quantity of seeds produced in each farm every year; and

(c) the financial assistance given by the Central Government for this purpose?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (a), (b) & (c) The answer [b] is placed on the table of the House.

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a Printed as Appendix II on page 213 infra.

b Printed as Appendix III on pages 214–215 *infra*.